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Transmitted herewith is a Status Inquiry in the
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The Patent and Trademark Office mailed a Notice of Recordation of Assignment in connection with this application on January 28, 2003. Since that time, applicant has not received any Patent and Trademark Office communication for this application.

Applicants respectfully request that the Patent and Trademark Office communicate the current status of the above-identified patent application to the undersigned.

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